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High Water.	A. M.	P. M.	Low Water.	A. M.	P. M.
Date.	h.m.	h.m.	Date.	h.m.	h.m.
Friday	1 2:58	8 4:15	Friday	1 2:48	8 4:10
Saturday	2 3:40	9 5:12	Saturday	2 3:40	9 5:12
SUNDAY	3 4:40	10 6:18	SUNDAY	3 4:40	10 6:18
Monday	4 5:56	11 7:32	Monday	4 5:56	11 7:32
Tuesday	5 7:19	12 8:25	Tuesday	5 7:19	12 8:25
Wednesday	6 8:43	1 9:21	Wednesday	6 8:43	1 9:21
Thursday	7 9:51	2 10:11	Thursday	7 9:51	2 10:11
Friday	8 10:51	3 11:05	Friday	8 10:51	3 11:05
Saturday	9 11:44	4 11:58	Saturday	9 11:44	4 11:58
SUNDAY	10 12:31	5 12:45	SUNDAY	10 12:31	5 12:45
Monday	11 1 15	6 1 15	Monday	11 1 15	6 1 15
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Are you going to the WORLDS FAIR at St. Louis, Mo.

YOU may if you buy your Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats, Underwear, Trunks, Sox, Shirts, etc., at Herman Wise's store. A number with every \$10 purchase. Keep your slips if you only buy a dollar's worth. When you have \$10 worth together you will receive a numbered certificate, which entitles you to an equal participation in the distribution of the

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Improve your flower and vegetable gardens with bone, or land plaster, fertilizer, for sale by Johnson Bros.

New stock of fancy goods just arrived at Yokohama Bazaar. Call and see the latest novelties from Japan.

You will always find the best ice meal in the city at the Rising Sun restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.

Rooms—Some choice housekeeping rooms now vacant and for rent, over Petersen & Brown's shoe store.

Pure and wholesome ice cream, 15 c a pint. Delicious ice cream soda and confectionery at Tagg's candy store.

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And all the smaller sizes of rugs. We have them in Axminster, Body Brussel, Tapestry Brussel and the Crex Rug. See window display.

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LONE FISHERMAN DROWNED.

At an early hour yesterday morning a distressing affair occurred a short distance this side of Rainier by which Walter Gert, a fisherman, is thought to have been drowned. When the O. R. & N. river steamer Haasalo had passed Rainier, enroute for this place, a distance of something less than a mile, the man at the wheel noticed something ahead directly in the course of the steamer. The distance was too short to escape colliding with the object, though every effort was made to do so. The object proved to be a fishing boat and as the Haasalo struck it cries were heard to proceed from its direction. As soon as possible the steamer was brought to a stop and her course was retraced. No further cries were heard and when the boat was picked up, in somewhat of a dismantled condition, its occupant had disappeared. The boat proved to be a smaller craft than those used in this vicinity and it was later proved by people in Rainier to have belonged to Walter Gert, a young fisherman. At the time the boat was picked up a drifting gill-net was found attached to it. The officers of the steamer say that no light was aboard of her, and that doubtless accounts for the mishap. In that region only one man manages a boat, no boatpinner being used, so it is not possible that more than one life was lost. A resident of Rainier, who arrived in the city on last night's train, reported that the body of the unfortunate man was recovered by a searching party at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. When found one of the fishermen's boats had been removed a last vain attempt of the drowning man to save himself. The body was taken to Rainier where a sorrowing young widowed mother received it.

Mme. Fortune will be at the dime museum to tell your fortune for the small sum of 10c.

SEEN IN SEASIDE.

Alexander Gilbert has the foundation finished for a 50x75 feet two-story business house, to be occupied partly as a restaurant and other businesses.

P. Lawler & Co., have a two-story store building of 30x54 feet nearly enclosed. One room of it will be occupied by P. A. Trullinger with a cigar and tobacco store. Another room is for rent.

Engineer Sholtz of the Seaside Mill company will remove to Astoria soon to become engineer for the North Pacific Brewing company.

Ed. Piper of the Oregonian and J. A. Malarky are having a pair of handsome cottages built by Contractor Dean of Portland.

Charles Mace of Portland is building a neat cottage. S. J. Hubbard is the contractor.

The town officers are negotiating for materials with which to put in a sewer system on the principal streets. A move is also on foot to secure fire protection by laying pipes to connect with five large private water tanks, having a capacity of about 30,000 gallons in all. In case of fire each could be drawn from, which would furnish a good service within its limits.

The finest shooting gallery on the coast. Come and try your luck at the dime museum.

WEALTHY, BUT WALKED.

J. J. Allard, a Portland gentleman who spends much of his time at his Sea View cottage on the north beach, had an experience yesterday which is a rather serious reflection on the management of the I. R. & N. Co.'s railroad. Sea View is at this time of the year designated as a flag station, but the only flag he could find, while waiting on the platform with his wife, two children and an old gentleman who was also destined for the boat at Ilwaco, was his pocket handkerchief. A vigorous use of this proved unavailing, as the engineer refused to recognize its authority, and the would-be passengers were left standing in the storm three miles from Ilwaco while the train sped by. In attempting to walk in they were soaked with rain, crowded off into the mud by a log train, lost their rubbers, their umbrellas and hats blew away, and they arrived at the Ilwaco wharf in time to catch the Nahcotta a sorry-looking lot. Their tickets read from Portland to Sea View and return, and Mr. Allard thinks such treatment justifies a case for damages.

Vaudeville! Vaudeville! Vaudeville! Tuesday night at the dime museum.

A WELL EQUIPPED OFFICE.

The Astorian job office under the management of E. W. Stahl, late of the state printing office at Salem, is thoroughly equipped for doing all kinds of printing. Some new and handsome styles of type have just been received. Briefs, billheads, letterheads, circulars, dodgers, cards, etc., on short notice and at lowest prices.

Dime museum at the A. F. C. hall on Bond street Tuesday night, May 12. Ten cents will admit you.

LYMAN C. KINNEY DEAD.

Lyman C. Kinney died at the North Pacific sanitarium in Portland last night at 11 o'clock. The cause of his death was an abscess of the middle ear, complicated with blood poisoning. He became ill last Tuesday and went at once to the sanitarium for treatment,

which proved unavailing. His wife and Dr. Alfred Kinney, his cousin, were present at his death. Mr. Kinney was born in Muscatine, Ia., 63 years ago, and crossed the plains to this country in 1847. During the past 25 years he has been an honored and highly respected resident of this city.

Dime museum Tuesday night for the benefit of the Woman's club.

Personal Mention.

Harrison Allen is in Portland today.

Dr. Alfred Kinney is in Portland today.

Albert Hill was over from Skipanon yesterday.

Hon. Jno. H. Smith went up to Portland last night.

Bonj. Worsley of Svensen spent yesterday in the city.

J. P. Merrifield the Seaside blacksmith is in the city.

J. M. Arthur and family returned to Portland yesterday.

Miss Lottie Bennett has returned to her home in Salem.

Samuel Elmore went up to Portland on last night's train.

Geo. W. Warren came over from Warrenton yesterday.

W. A. Crane left for Ashland last evening on the Lurline.

James Waterhouse of Butterfield station was in the city yesterday.

Oswald West has returned from a trip to Salem and The Dalles.

H. H. Ingalls arrived on the Alliance yesterday from Coos bay.

Fred Moore the Seaside merchant, went to Portland last night.

C. W. White the Warrenton merchant was in the city yesterday.

J. W. Shafford is down from Portland registered at the Parker.

Mrs. Geo. Ralston returns to her home in Dundee this morning.

Senator Fulton was a passenger on last night's train for Portland.

Timothy Leahy and brother Joe are at Elk Creek on Tim's ranch this week.

A. Bremner of the Bremner Logging company, went to Portland last night.

O. D. Drain and C. M. St. John of Portland are guests at the Parker house.

Captain Olson of the tug Astorian was a passenger up on the Alliance yesterday.

Ed Solomon is down from Portland. Hugh McCormick the Wise rancher is in the city.

W. Richards came down from Rainier last night and is going to Deep river today.

F. T. Reim and wife arrived over yesterday from Fort Stevens and will go to Portland today.

Mrs. W. H. Chapin is expected to arrive from Portland today to visit Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marris for a few days.

H. Richter and W. Gebick came over from the west side yesterday and are in the city enroute for Saldren's logging camp where they have accepted employment.

C. J. McNitt auditor of the Oregon Short Line, and F. W. Gardner, both of Salt Lake City, went over to Ilwaco and Fort Canby yesterday and returned on the Nahcotta.

Alfred Anderson, formerly of this city returned last evening to Rainier where he is head sawyer in one of the mills there. Mr. Anderson has been visiting here and in Seaside.

Dr. Joe W. Welch of Silverton arrived in the city yesterday morning. He has been in poor health for some time, so is taking a vacation from professional duties and will spend a month with relatives in this city.

Lemonade to be served by the young ladies Tuesday night at the dime museum.

LARGEST SHIP IN THE WORLD

The new steamer Cordic recently built is the largest and probably the strongest vessel of its kind ever built. When she recently set sail from Liverpool for New York a large crowd saw her start on her first long journey. There is also a large crowd of people throughout our country who are daily witnesses to the fact that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters positively cures stomach, liver and kidney complaints, because it cured them. It will do as much for you too, if you will only give it a trial. It positively cures headache, belching, nausea, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness, insomnia, and malaria, fever and ague. Be sure to try it at once. The genuine is for sale by all druggists and general dealers. Don't accept any other.

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Second Day At Institute

Rainy Day Excursion to Old Fort Clatsop By the Birch Weilders.

City Pastors Occupy the Evening Session With Highly Interesting Addresses.

The morning session opened with the singing of "Duke Street," led by President Resmer. Editor Jones of the Oregon Teachers' Monthly was introduced to the institute and presented the merits of that most excellent and worthy publication, which should be read by every teacher and parent in the state. Mr. Jones had on exhibition a fine display of artists' and educational aids, which are supplied to schools by his institution in Salem and took many orders for them and the Monthly.

President Resmer continued his excellent elucidation of the subject "Methods," most attractive and valuable to the profession, but somewhat obstructive to the laity. Superintendent Ackerman spoke on "Consolidation of Schools," dwelling particularly upon the necessity of letting down the bars with which custom has environed the graded school, that teachers must overcome conservatism and merge all effort into the one idea of expansion of the individual, and fall into the line of modern research and thought.

The symposium of thought, bearing particularly on the question of grade work and reviews, and participated in by Miss Alice Gray and Professors W. A. Round and A. A. Cleveland, with a summarization by Professor Ackerman, was a feature of the institute. "To review or not to review," on the pupil's entrance into a new grade, was the vital question in Professor Cleveland's excellent paper, which ably sustained a negative position, giving the best pedagogical reasons for the stand. After setting forth his case with authorities and argument, the professor draws these conclusions, which are of interest to many school patrons, who are sometimes perplexed or vexed with the extensive reviews their children are sometimes required to make:

"Set reviews, upon the result of which depends further progress are of doubtful value. They are of benefit chiefly as a means of presenting a subject or a division of a subject in its entirety.

"Details are learned and mastered by constant daily review. Set reviews follow naturally the completion of a division and in most schools are given at that time. If they accomplish their purpose then they are unnecessary again at the beginning of the new term. But someone says 'pupils forget.' Certainly they do, but will it help them to pour into their minds the work of a grade or more into or three weeks? Knowledge is not taken in and retained in lumps in such a way that what follows can be joined on to the existing mass. Facts and principles are retained for practical purposes as a result of frequent association, and not as the result of filling the mind with them in a brief space of time. Such a process as the latter assures retention for but a short time.

"The idea of progress is an ever present stimulus to the pupil. He feels that he is advancing; he enjoys meeting the new and he feels a satisfaction in overcoming the difficulties of each forward step. It is true he feels a pleasure in meeting what he has previously learned—old friends as it were. But to be forced to go over the work previously learned, to his satisfaction, at least, is a different matter. A lack of interest is the result and several repetitions of periods of indifference on the part of the pupil result in the formation of the habit of listlessness so hard to overcome.

"I would conclude, then, that the method of reviewing the work of each grade before taking up the work of the next is not based on sound pedagogy, because it is unnecessary, since the same result can be accomplished by means of daily review and set reviews during the term and at its close; because it fails to accomplish its avowed purpose, namely, to give the child a complete mastery of the work previous to the new grade, since it is based on the unwarranted assumption that mastery of details constitutes a mastery of principles; because its moral effect is to take away the stimulus of continuous progress and substitute the interest destroying, backward movement of drill by rote."

THE EVENING SESSION.

Five of the city pastors took part in the evening exercises, which were very profitable. Rev. L. J. Trumbull opened with prayer and Rev. Harold Oberg delivered a salutatory address, followed by Rev. Henry Marcotte whose address on "The Moral Tendencies of Education," was an uplift to the hearers. He advanced the thought of life on high levels, with an extended horizon and the value of living in and helping to create a pure atmosphere. Said he: "All greatest art is moral and no man can be a great artist unless he is con-

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